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## Boy Scouts To Aid Santa With Toys

Pahokee Troop 628 Boy Scouts plan to serve as Santa's helpers in a big way this holiday season. The plan starts to unfold this Saturday, Dec. 14, when the Scouts make a house-to-house canvass of the community to pick up used, discarded toys, the drive to start at 1 p. m. To these toys will be added those which the management of the Prince Theatre receives in the annual "see a show for a toy" theatre party and is turning over to Troop 628.

Next week will be a busy time for the Scouts when work details are appointed to sort, repair and paint the toys, then package the toys with gift wrappings after they look like new.

In the meantime the Pahokee Rotary and Lions Clubs and Mrs. J. L. Reeves' class at the Methodist Sunday School will have Christmas parties to which each member will bring a wrapped gift suitable for either a boy or girl. These gifts will be added to the collection already prepared by the Scouts.

Troop 628 will next purchase a large quantity of candy fruit and nuts which will be attractively packaged into scores of Christmas.

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## Last Rites Held For Mrs. Wooten

Funeral services for Mrs. Leila Estella Wooten, 67, pioneer resident of Pahokee, were held in the chapel of Wetherington's Funeral Home, Pahokee, Wednesday, Nov. 11, at 3 p. m., with the Rev. U. W. Malcolm, pastor of the Belle Glade First Baptist Church, officiating.

Mrs. Wooten died at the Belle Glade Memorial Hospital Monday after a long illness. A native of Whiteville, N. C., she came to Pahokee from Plant City in 1927. She was a minister of the Seventh Seal New Testament Church of God and was manager of the Lake Park Apartments in Pahokee.

She is survived by her husband, Emried Wooten; two sisters, Mrs. C. M. Todd and Mrs. Laura Ferrara, both of Pahokee, and one brother, Rembert Owens, Plant City.

Burial was at the Port Mayaca Cemetery.

## Dr. Poteet Opens Office In Pahokee

Dr. F. H. Poteete, former head surgeon at the State Hospital in Monroe, La., and a former staff member of the Oschner Clinic in New Orleans, La., is planning to open an office this week in the Jones building, 20 Bacom Point Road, Pahokee, according to report from the Chamber of Commerce office. Dr. Poteete is the son-in-law of Mrs. Frank Friend of Pahokee. His wife, the former Marilyn Nason, and three daughters will continue to reside in West Palm Beach until a residence is available in Pahokee.

## Funeral Services For Former Resident

Funeral services for Roy S. Repper, 63, former Pahokee business man, were held at the Church of Immaculate Conception in Jacksonville, Dec. 6. Mr. Repper, who died in Jacksonville on Dec. 3, was a resident of Pahokee from 1931 to 1938 and while here established the Glades Truck and Tractor Company, now known as the Glades Equipment Company. He is survived by his wife, Minnie, a stepdaughter and three stepsons. Among those attending the services were his nephews, Jimmy Repper of Canal Point, Jack and Joe Repper of Pahokee.

## Seven Students On List Making All A's

For making A grades in all subjects during the second six-week period of the current school year seven Pahokee High School students were placed on the school's honor roll with honors, according to Principal Brooks Henderson. The group includes Helen Shepard, Valerie Geiger, Virginia Culerson and Sylvia Jones, twelfth grade; Nancy Thomas and Marlene Scott, eleventh grade, and Robert Boe, eighth grade.

Listed on the honor roll proper for earning either an A or B in all subjects were Larry Austin, Judy Murphy and Bobby Mobley, twelfth grade; Earl Clifton, George McElhenry, Linda McRaney, Sonny Folds, Joanne Darden, Jill McIlwain and Kenneth McIntosh, eleventh grade; Suzanne Morgan, Shirley Culberson, Edwina Humphrey and Ann Jackson, tenth grade; Ila Mae Smith, Martha Sellers and Sandra Lampi, ninth grade; Rebecca Grimes, John Hundley, Bonnilu Lair, Claud Morgan, Rebecca Mackey and Willie Carson Adams, eighth grade; Robert Lampi, Jr. and Ronnie Tucker, seventh grade.

Students receiving honorable mention for scholastic work, getting all A's or B's except for one C included Susan Johnson, John Hooks, Johnnie Oliver, Dale Stacey and Alvey Joyce Spencer, twelfth grade; Warren Repper, Joyce Goodson, Gene Parnell, Ronald Graydon, Glenda Rusom, Cyndy Friend and Shirley Kincaid, eleventh grade; Karen Adams, Johnny Smith, David Watkins, Wallace Mole, Larry Beede and Roger Watson, tenth grade; Shirley Anderson, ninth grade; Ronnie Kautz, Patsy Keene and Yvonne Thompson, eighth grade; Linda Woodford and Toni Touchberry, seventh grade.

## Local School Plans Christmas Party

The Canal Point school will present a Christmas party at 9:30 a. m., Tuesday, December 17, in the school auditorium. Principal Crawford said that plans call for the singing of Christmas carols by the seventh and eighth grades under the direction of the music director, Miss Snyder. A cordial invitation is extended to friends of the school to attend.

## Local Baptists To Have Christmas Party Sun., Dec. 22

Plans for the Christmas Program for the Canal Point Baptist Church are complete. The program will be held in the Community House on Sunday night, December 22, beginning with a "pot-luck" supper. The supper will be served at 6 p. m.

A program of Scripture Reading, Prayer, Christmas songs, will be under the leadership of the Pastor, Rev. Charles D. Stewart. Before the services come to a close, "Santa Claus" will distribute gifts to the youth present. Also at this service the Training Union records will be secured, but no program for T. U. will be held. There will be no services in the Church that Sunday night.

The general chairman for the program is Dow Geiger. Mrs. J. S. Atkins is chairman of the committee to decorate the tree. She will be assisted by the Intermediates and Young People Sunday School pupils. They will decorate the tree on Saturday night. The program will center around the theme of "Family Life."

The Ione Patterson Circle of the Canaf Point W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. Ray Smith on Monday, December 9, to distribute gifts to the book, "A Continent in Commotion," a study of Africa.

The book was taught by Mrs. Charles D. Stewart. The study was made interesting and informative by the use of visual aids, and contests, and quizzes, etc. on Africa, with the whole group participating. At the noon hour a delightful covered dish luncheon was enjoyed. Following the study, the Circle held a short business meeting.

## Disabled Vets Get Woman's Club Gifts

Members of the Pahokee Woman's Club brought to the business luncheon meeting in the clubhouse Wednesday wrapped Christmas gifts for disabled veterans at the VA Hospital in Coral Gables. The gifts were turned over to Mrs. Sadie Barwick, chairman of the American Veterans committee, who will be responsible for their presentation to the veterans.

Mrs. James H. Wilson, president, named Mrs. M. H. Baxter chairman of the club's Christmas Seal sales for the benefit of the Palm Beach County Tuberculosis and Health Association, the sale of Christmas Seals being a general club project.

Mrs. R. O. Shackford was received as a new member of the club. Mrs. Claud Morgan, corresponding secretary, distributed to members copies of the club yearbook which she had personally prepared.

It was announced Mrs. B. A. Roemer of Belle Glade, will be guest speaker at the next program meeting to be held in January.

Mrs. Ellis Wilkinson has returned to her home in Pahokee from Good Samaritan Hospital, West Palm Beach, where she received medical treatment.

## Consider Changing Name Of Airport

The county commission this week took under advisement a suggestion that Lantana Airport be renamed in honor of the late Wesley Jackson, recently killed in a plane crash.

Jackson had long been associated with aviation activities in the county and had flown from Lantana Airport for many years. He also had his business headquarters on the field. The board referred the request for re-naming the field to the county aviation committee.

## Decorations Will Be Judged Dec. 20

The Pahokee Garden Club's second annual Holiday House, featuring Yuletide decorations of distinction, will be presented for public viewing on Friday, Dec. 20, from 7 to 10 p. m.

The Holiday House tour of inspection will begin at the home of Mrs. H. J. Anderson, 840 Bacom Point Road, where decorations will be in the traditional Christmas style, with green and red the predominant colors. Assisting Mrs. Anderson as co-hostesses will be Mrs. Norman Kennedy, Mrs. O. R. Bleech, Mrs. W. A. Keen, Mrs. W. C. Darden, Mrs. C. L. Shirley, Mrs. Ruth Meredith and Mrs. Annette McCurdy.

From Andersons the spectators will go to the home of Mrs. Frank Friend, 76 Bacom Point Road, where a mantelpiece with a pink motif in decorations will be the center of attraction. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Friend will be Mrs. J. M. Elliott, Mrs. R. W. Sanders, Mrs. Leo Maxwell, Mrs. G. F. Kincaid and Mrs. Luke Dufresne.

The next stop will be at the home of Mrs. C. C. Lemonds where emphasis will be on the decorations in the Florida room, featuring an espaliered tree. The co-hostesses with Mrs. Lemonds will include Mrs. John T. Pickett, Mrs. J. S. Chastain and Mrs. Howard Holman.

From the Lemonds the Holiday House tour will continue to the Crazy Waters Motel where outside (continued on page 8)

## Devil Netmen Use Belle Glade Gym

The Pahokee High Blue Devils will open their basketball season Saturday, Dec. 14, when they meet the McArthur High School quintet in a home game.

Because of the fire in Pahokee's old gymnasium last month burned the bleachers and ruined the basketball court, the opener with McArthur and all other home games will be played in the Belle Glade High School gymnasium. This change of locale for the Blue Devils' home games has made it necessary to revise their 1957-58 schedule to avoid conflict with Belle Glade home games and it is expected the revised schedule will be completed this week, according to Coach W. D. (Bill) Howard.

The preliminary B team game in the opener will start at 7 p. m.

## Sidewalks Given Go Sign Vetville

The Pahokee City Council in regular session Monday night, with all members present, instituted condemnation proceedings against two rooming houses, located on lots 4-7, block 2, Salvatore addition and owned by Henry Blum of Belle Glade, which have been declared by City Inspector Frank Thompson as unsafe, unsanitary and a menace to the public welfare. It was voted to serve notice on Blum that both buildings must be completely vacated by Dec. 15 and torn down by Jan. 1. Blum had been invited to appear before the Council with the opportunity to protest the condemnation if he thought it unjust, but he was not present.

P. D. Larrimore, Jr., representative of Russell and Axon, municipal and industrial consulting engineers, Daytona Beach, appeared before the Council with recommendations for a city planning program for Pahokee. Council members agreed with Larrimore that a survey of the city water system and the drawing up of plans for its expansion and modernization would be a first item of importance on the agenda of a city planning program for Pahokee. A proposal for such a survey was submitted by (continued on page 8)

## BPW Club Will Feed Crowds At Rodeo

The Pahokee Business and Professional Women's Club has voted to take on one of the biggest projects the club has ever had—the handling of the concessions at the Circle T Rodeo in Indiantown next February.

Project Chairman Mrs. Johnnie Verhulst and Mrs. Ethel Johnson presented an outline of the plan which will include feeding upwards of 9,000 persons at the rodeo in addition to managing other sub-concessions and a dining room for the rodeo contestants.

The Troop Circle T Rodeo has grown to be one of the State's major attractions and the owners are planning considerable expansion of facilities in the coming year. Scheduled dates for this season's rodeo are Feb. 22-23.

## Fathers And Sons At Lions Banquet

The Canal Point Lions held their annual fathers and sons banquet in the Community Building Monday night, with the fathers introducing their sons as guests. On the program Carl Crawford, principal of the Canal Point School, showed a film, "The Christmas Tree," in which he demonstrated the use of motion pictures as a medium of visual education in the classroom.

## POST OFFICE HOURS

The Canal Point Post Office will continue to remain open from 8:00 A. M. until 6 P. M. daily including Saturdays through December 24th for the convenience of the mailing public through the Christmas rush. The finance window will close at 5:30.



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### Here Is What Transpired At Monday's Meeting Of The Palm Beach County Commission

County Engineer Steve Middleton this week recommended that the county commission take steps to build a new prison stockade to continue to use prisoners for county labor.

Middleton also told the board that despite recent criticism of costs of operating the county stockade, the operation was being carried out at less expense than similar operations conducted by the state.

Middleton pointed to recent figures which showed cost of county prisoner work day at \$4.86. Using county costs and figuring them on a scale used by the state, the engineer said county costs dropped to \$3.81 per prison work day.

He added that county food costs per man per day were .56 while the state spends .99. It costs the state \$138 a month per man while the

county gets the same work for \$103 per man Middleton said.

The engineers report was the result of recent commission action ordering an investigation of costs of operating the stockade.

In other actions this week the commission:

Said it was not interested in considering any proposals for selling liquor at International Airport terminal.

Voted to give the Gulf Stream Boy Scout Council six months to remove its property at John Prince Park and to turn the land back to the county.

Heard that the State Road Department will take over maintenance of that old portion of U. S. Highway 1 which ran through Juno Beach and which was abandoned when a new road was built west of Juno Beach.

### Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Millar

Hello everybody! It was in the winter of 1895 that a Frenchman named Leotard arrived in Paris and appeared at the Cirque d'Hiver. He was the inventor of the flying trapeze act you may remember seeing in "Trapeze." Leotard, upon arriving at the Cirque Napoleon, created such a furor with the smart set that everything from cravats topeaches was called "a la Leotard." The flying trapeze was unknown a hundred years ago. Leotard, son of the owner of a gymnasium and swimming bath in Talouse, was the man who discovered the new thrilling form of entertainment. One day the young Leotard noticed the cords that were used for opening and shut-

ting the ventilators in the roof of his fathers swimming bath. He realized that if he joined each pair with a wooden baton he could swing out and if he fell nothing worse than a plunge into the water could happen to him. He developed this idea until he appeared in the ring with as many as five trapeze in a line. He would swing from one to another, turning single somersaults from trapeze to trapeze. His success lasted ten years. He caught small pox while appearing in a circus in Spain and died. Leotard not only gave the art of the flying trapeze to the world, he also gave his name to the singlets worn by all trapeze artists today. See you at the movies—Mal.

W. S. (Bill) Brandon, a former resident of Canal Point, is a patient at Good Samaritan Hospital, West Palm Beach.

Advertisements

From where I'm sittin'... by Joe Marsh

### Just Call Me Cupid

Yesterday I stopped at the lunch counter about noon time. As I was drinkin' my coffee a young couple came in. Now they was only two empty seats in the whole place, one on each side of me. Before I could move the couple sat down and didn't say a word. I insisted the young fellow change seats with me. He looked at me kind of funny but he traded. I sure felt silly when he said to the girl, "Sorry to intrude m'am, but this feller insisted. My name's Chuck, what's yours?"

From where I'm sittin' it's awful easy to jump to conclusions and sometimes it can be embarrassing. In fact, it can be mean and intolerant, like the way some folks jump to the conclusion that a person is "wrong" to like a glass of beer instead of other refreshments. Not knowin' the facts and not using good judgment can usually stir up trouble.

Joe Marsh

### Boy Scouts To Aid—

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The Chamber of Commerce office is serving as a clearing house for obtaining the names of children who will receive the greatest benefit and pleasure from the gifts the Scouts have prepared. Persons knowing of children who should receive some of these gifts or those who would like to make a donation to the "Santa Claus" project are asked to contact Mrs. Mae Pope, executive secretary of the chamber.

After receiving the names of the children from Mrs. Pope, the Scouts will study the list and make careful selections so each child will be sure to receive appropriate and pleasing gifts as well as the tasty, fruit and nut treats.

Then the Scouts will travel far and wide, bringing delight and cheer to many children whose Christmas might have been less cheerful had it not been for the industry and thoughtfulness of "Santa's helpers."

Adults serving as advisors and helping in other ways in the Troop 628 "Santa Claus" project are Vance Denton, Dr. Richard C. Lane, Jimmy Batchelor and Scoutmasters Louis Mims and Jappy Lindrose.

Last year Troop 628, purchased 150 pounds of candy, 100 pounds of nuts, eight bushels of oranges, two bushels of tangerines and a box of apples to prepare the treats which together with more than 400 toys helped brighten the Christmas of children in more than 60 homes. This year the Scouts plan to serve as Santa's helpers on even a wider scale.

Those who will not be at home tomorrow when the Scouts call and have toys for this project are asked to please leave the toys at Mr. Mims' home.

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### Rogers Office In WPB To Be Closed

Congressman Rogers announced today that his District Office which he has maintained in the Harvey Building in West Palm Beach during the recess period between the first and second sessions of the 85th Congress will close on December 15th. Congressman Rogers, before departing for Washington for the reconvening of Congress in the early part of January, stated that he is very gratified with the interest shown by the people of the Sixth Congressional District in the running of their Federal Government.

During the congressional recess the Congressman has made reports to the people of his eleven-county district and encouraged them to express their views. The Congressman has traveled over 7,500 miles since arriving home on October 2nd and he has made 132 talks to various organizations. He has had an estimated total of attendance at these talks of 17,500 people.

### Salary Checks To Be Distributed Early By County

With Christmas just around the corner, it appeared that the spirit of Santa Claus was making a visit to the county commission this week. The board voted to pay its employees December salary checks just as soon after December 15th as possible to take some of the financial strain out of their Christmas shopping.

On the receiving end, the board learned that it had received its share of state racing funds—a total of \$12,000 to wind up the year putting the annual fund in excess of \$100,000.

### NEW RESIDENCE

The board of trustees of the tricity Part Mayaca Cemetery Commission at a meeting in the Pahokee City Hall accepted the bid of Blanton and Unwin, Pahokee contracting firm, to build the new residence for the caretaker at the cemetery for \$8,940.

## THEATRES

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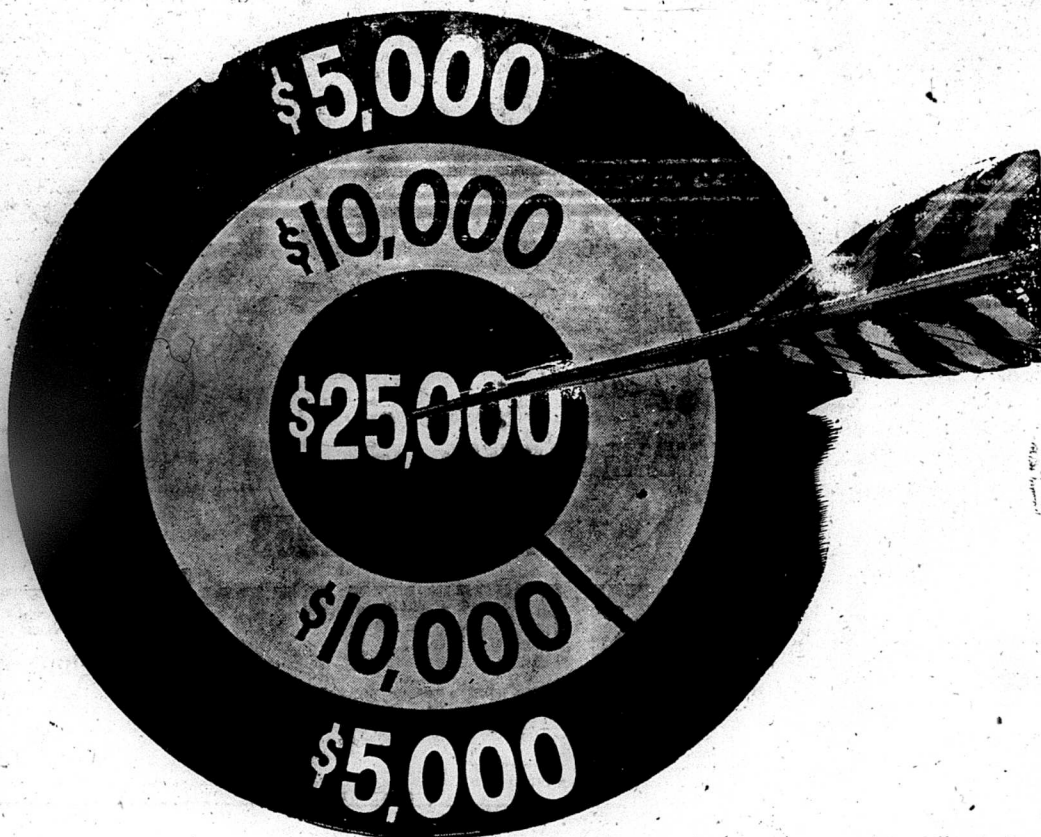
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## PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

The final presentation of the Pahokee High School Juniors' play "The Bat," a three-act mystery by Mary Roberts Rhinehart, will take place in the high school auditorium this Friday evening.

Mrs. H. J. Anderson is a patient at the Everglades Memorial Hospital this week.

Mrs. A. D. Head had as recent guests her son, Chief Petty Officer Clifford Head, also Jim Parrish and Bob Lawray, all members of the U. S. Navy stationed at Santiago de Cuba. Clifford, who has been serving in the Navy for six years, is with the 86th Air Attack Squadron and was promoted to the rank of chief petty officer on Dec. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Handley and children of Auburn, Ala., arrived here this week to spend the holidays with her parents, Col. and Mrs. W. S. Evans, at Cypress Lodge, Port Mayaca.

Harry Levins, who was recently released from the Armed Forces, is now with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Levins, in Pahokee.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Fisher of North Carolina are spending this week in Pahokee visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Holman and family. Mrs. Holman and children will accompany them back home for the holidays.

The Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Owens are planning a holiday visit with his mother and other relatives in South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Morgan and family will spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Suzy Blair, and other relatives at Paris, Texas, their former home.

Bobby Howell, ET-3, U. S. Navy, who recently returned to the United States from Japan, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McClenithan, in Pahokee while on leave from the Navy.

Mrs. Patsy Maurer Wright and children, Robin and Johnnie, are joining her husband, T-Sgt. John C. Wright, at Cocoa where they will make their home. Sgt. Wright is stationed at the Patrick Air Force Base.

Val Gabaldon, who has been stationed at MacDill Field, Tampa, is expected to receive his honorable discharge from the U. S. Air Force and return to his home in Pahokee within the next few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Philo B. Williamson had as guests Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Jess Anderson and son, Jess, Jr., former residents of Avon, Conn., who recently moved to Wauchula.

### Coast Line Stops Southland's Run

ST. PETERSBURG—The Southland, Atlantic Coast Line train which linked the Deep South with the upper midwest for almost half a century, has made its last run.

The last trip from Chicago to Tampa and St. Petersburg rolled in Dec. 1. The continuance of the run ended months of "31st hearings" held by public service commissions in states served by the train. At the hearings, ACL proposed to re-route passengers headed for the Florida West Coast through Jacksonville on the City of Miami or South Wind trains. The overall trip on these trains would be lengthened by about six hours but there would be no difference in fares.

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### Mrs. B. A. Rogers Dies At Home Of Son Here

Mrs. Barton A. Rogers, 84, life-long resident of Hampton, S. C., died Thursday of last week at the home of her son, Benjamin C. Rogers, at Canal Point where she had been a guest since October.

She is also survived by two other sons and two daughters. The body was sent Friday to Hampton, S. C., for services and burial.

### BEAUTICIANS ELECT

Mrs. Ruby Vandegrift has been elected president of the newly organized Pahokee Beauticians Association. Other officers elected were Mrs. Peggy Lance, vice president, and Mrs. Margaret Vandegrift, secretary-treasurer.

### Defense Dept. Cites County Board

Because of its policy to allow its

employee to take an active part in military reserve programs, the County Commission has been awarded a Department of Defense citation. The department, in a letter to the commission, said the board had been selected to receive the commendation through a suggestion by George Frost, Asst. County Engineer and a Naval Reservist.

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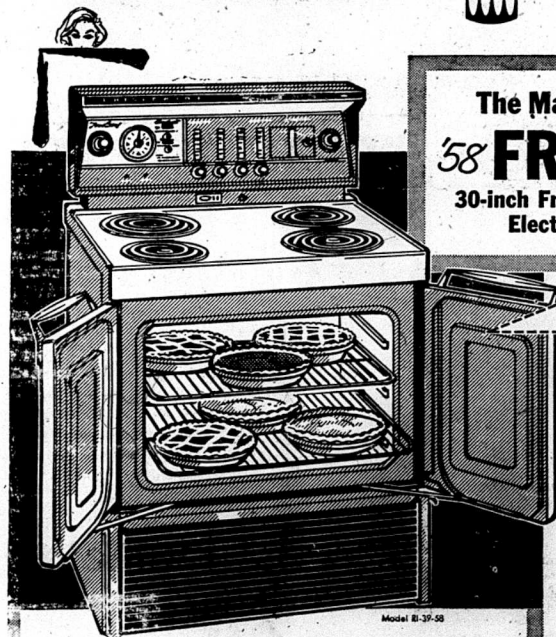
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## Workers Draw Compensation For Injuries In State

Palm Beach County last year had 8,107 workers injured in industrial accidents which cost, in compensation and medical expense, \$337,941 State Industrial Commission Chairman James T. Vocelle reports.

Vocelle said that statewide, there were 164,188 job-connected injuries and 202 fatalities last year. Total cost as paid by employer insurance policies was \$17,930,602.

"This is a terrible toll of human and economic resources of this State," Vocelle said. Dade County was high in injuries with 45,759 costs totaling \$5,183,800.

Leaders from industry, representing both labor, management and the public, now are working to develop safety codes covering occupational hazards. "If we can develop good safety codes we believe they can do more than anything else to reduce the accident toll and, in turn, bring lower workmen's compensation insurance rates, which are set by the State Insurance Commissioner and based on accident figures," Vocelle said.

W. C. Director, Paul E. Spen, explains injured employees receive free medical treatment and are compensated for 60 per cent of their wages, with a \$35 a week maximum during the disability. Compensation which begins after the fourth day of disability, is paid directly by the insurance companies.

Last year there were only 6,227 cases involving disputes between injured workmen and employers or their insurance carriers. The Industrial Commission decides such cases through deputy commissioners located over the state.

The Commission offers special programs of safety services to assist industry in reducing job accidents and a rehabilitation program to help the victims become able to resume employment.

Accidents by industry groups in Palm Beach County and costs included 2,658 in construction, costing \$253,161; 2,014 in wholesale and retail trade with \$238,209 in costs; manufacturing 888, costing \$66,156; services 806, costing \$74,860 and agriculture 686, with \$70,305 in costs.

### 1957 ALL-SUNCOAST CONFERENCE FOOTBALL TEAM

ENDS: Don Hughes, Pompano, and John Thomas, Belle Glade.

TACKLES: Don Brown, Stuart, and Sam Teague, Vero Beach.

GUARDS: Conrad Hardie, Ft. Pierce, and R. V. Cochran, Clewiston.

CENTER: Ronald Hataway, Stuart.

QUARTERBACK: Calvin Cox, Vero.

HALFBACKS: Ed Pou, Stuart, and Glenn Glass, Clewiston.

FULLBACK: Fred Burkey, Stuart.

(\* repeaters from '56 All-Suncoast team)

### HONORABLE MENTIONS

ENDS: Johnson, Clewiston; Biegler, Seacrest; Woodward, Pompano; Starling, Ft. Pierce.

TACKLES: Bandlow & Fagan, Lake Worth; Stacy, Pahokee; Stone, Pompano.

GUARDS: Westbrook, Seacrest; Hayes, Clewiston; Abel, Belle Glade; Hill, Pompano; Lee, Ft. Pierce; Jacobs, Lake Worth.

CENTERS: Swindle, Clewiston; Darr, Seacrest; Smith, Lake Worth.

QUARTERBACKS: McCorkle, Ft. Pierce; Coker, Pompano; Fry, Clewiston.

HALFBACKS: Terry and Miles, Pompano; Crant, Belle Glade; Hamilton and Williams, Ft. Pierce.

FULLBACKS: Calhoun, Vero Beach; Sigh, Pompano; Webb, Lake Worth; Weeks, Pahokee.

(no unanimous choices this year)

Mr. and Mrs. George Mills (Betty Harrison) of Pahokee announce the birth of Phoebe Jean, their second daughter, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, Nov. 10.

## Florida Is Ready For More Visitors

Floridians are prepared for an expanded winter tourist season with an indication of 5 per cent more visitors than last season.

Of the many new facilities built in the state, approximately 25,000 additional rooms and some 35,000 more in restaurant seating capacity are designed to cater especially to this season's visitors the Florida State Chamber of Commerce said yesterday.

Florida's year-round tourism has taken on a new look in recent years with an increase in summer visitors and more widespread popularity of "package" tours. Estimates of the level of tourism during the calendar year, 1957 are given in this week's business review of the State Chamber's research and industrial division. These estimates are admittedly conservative for the sake of realism.

By year's end, 6,100,000 tourists will have visited Florida. Of this number, 1,586,000, or 26 per cent, came to Florida during the past summer months of May, June, July and August. Tourism contributed \$1,150,000,000 to the total personal income to Floridians last year, with summer tourists accounting for \$241,500,000, or 21 per cent of the total.

## RDB Planning For County's Growth

Every community in Palm Beach county is expected to benefit from a new industrial promotion program just adopted by the Palm Beach County Resources Development Board, according to Henry J. Delburn of West Palm Beach, president of the organization.

The new plan approved by the board of directors, representing 28 municipalities in the county, will call for an industrial council of five members and several volunteer contact teams, in addition to the countywide industrial promotion committee.

At the same time, President Delburn warned, the Resources Development Board "has not and will not promote any industry, anywhere in the county that might be detrimental to the tourist business".

"Close coordination of RDB work with all chambers of commerce, municipalities, county and state agencies, industrial directors of utilities and railroads," is called for in the plan approved by the board. "Promptness, factual information and manifestation of community interest are the most important factors in serving industrial prospects" according to the report from Lamar Allen, manager of RDB. "We have found that our competition in Florida and elsewhere has been most successful in the employment of councils, committees of 100 and similar coordinated civic groups," he said.

The board went on record as favoring repeal of the doubled state intangible tax and appointment of a tax review committee to study all forms of taxation in the state and county. It was pointed out that the lower East Coast will be hardest hit by the new intangibles increase and might lose private, commercial and industrial wealth because of the tax.



## Flood Control To Cooperate With Teddy Centennial

WEST PALM BEACH—The Theodore Roosevelt Centennial Commission is summoning the resources of the past to help men face the challenge of the present.

Established by the Congress during its last session, the Commission is using the one hundredth anniversary of Theodore Roosevelt's birth to stimulate interest in conservation of natural resources and other areas closely associated with Roosevelt's interests and career.

The Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District in its resource-use education program is cooperating with the Centennial Commission.

The Flood Control District Division of Planning and Research is teaching conservation in elementary and high schools in the 17 county District area. In addition, teachers' groups are receiving information and guidance in presenting the Flood Control District to their classes as an example of beneficial resource use.

The Theodore Roosevelt Centennial Commission has received assurance from the Post Office Department that a commemorative stamp will be issued and has been informed by both the Library of Congress and the National Archives that special exhibits of Roosevelt's writing will be displayed during the year at both places.

The first works of the Everglades Drainage District were dug during Theodore Roosevelt's second administration. These works have been incorporated into the Flood Control District which has taken over the responsibility for the agency's works. It was in the year of Roosevelt's birth that the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of Florida defrayed the

expenses of a survey for "construction of a canal from the St. Johns River, on Lake Harney, to the waters of the Indian River". These areas lie within the present-day Flood Control District.

## Kledzik Will Run Clay Co. Hospital

GREEN COVE SPRINGS—R. L. Kledzik, a retired Navy commander, has been appointed administrator of the Clay County Memorial Hospital which is under construction here.

Kledzik has served for the past two years as administrator of the Everglades Memorial Hospital at Pahokee, Fla.

A native of Chicago, Kledzik retired from the Navy in 1954 after 30 years service in hospital administration work. He was assistant director of public health in Portsmouth, Va., for one year prior to accepting the job at Pahokee.

Until the hospital is completed, Kledzik will supervise construction and purchase of supplies for the hospital authority.

The 25-bed hospital is about 25 per cent completed now and is expected to be dedicated by late summer or early fall of 1958.

The hospital will cost about \$450,000 to construct and equip and is being financed through Hill-Burton Act funds and the county's share of state race track funds.

## Herefords On Sale Bartow Saturday

BARTOW—"Knock Off Those Horns but Keep that Hereford Reekiness" is the slogan of the Southeastern Polled Hereford Association which will hold its second Florida Bull Sale at the Mid-State Agricultural Pavilion here this coming Saturday, December 14th. A total of 67 of the naturally

hornless white-face bulls—a majority of them over 2½ years old—will sell in the auction, which includes cattle from Georgia, Mississippi and Florida breeders.

Bulls will be on display throughout the morning of December 14, and lunch will be available on the grounds, according to Ed P. Freehling of Thomasville, Georgia, president of the group. Sale will start at 1:00 p. m. sharp, he has announced.

Consignors include: Darahill Farm, Gulfport, Miss.; Randolph Farms, Clearwater; Bryant Polled Hereford Farm, Dalton, Ga.; Wind-sweep Farm, Thomaston, Ga.; Holly Springs Farms, Covington, Georgia; Circle A Ranch, Worthen, Georgia; Young's Acres, Valdosta, Georgia; Santa Fe River Ranch, Alachua, Florida; Circle Z Ranch, Floral City, Florida; Cook o' Walk Ranch, McIntosh, Florida; Bert Gleson Hereford Farm, Valdosta, Georgia; Wildfair's Hereford Center, Madison; Rivoli Herefords, Macon, Georgia; Sky Meadows Farms, Thomasville, Georgia.

## Holiday Bowl For St. Petersburg Dec. 21

ST. PETERSBURG—St. Petersburg is getting into the postseason football bowl act this year with the first annual Holiday Bowl, December 21. The game will pit Hillsdale College of Michigan against Pittsburg, Kans. for the small college championship of the nation.

The game is co-sponsored by the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics and the St. Petersburg Chamber of Commerce. It will be carried over the CBS-TV network to an anticipated 10 million viewers.

Pre-game and half-time ceremonies have not been completely worked out but the famed Chanute, Kan., girls drum and bugle corps will perform and the MacDill Air Force Base color guard from Tampa also will participate. The Holiday Bowl Queen will also be crowned during half-time ceremonies.

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 7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

### St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Belle Glade

Erwin J. Baumgartner, Pastor  
 601 W. Lake Rd., Belle Glade  
**SUNDAY:**  
 Divine Services 11 A. M.  
 School 9:45 A. M.

### The Methodist Church Canal Point, Florida

Rev. L. A. Sparks  
**SUNDAY:**  
 10:00 a. m.—Church School  
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship  
 6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship  
 7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship  
**TUESDAYS:**  
 7:30 p. m.—Youth Choir Practice  
 7:30 p. m.—Woman's Society  
 1st and 3rd Tuesdays  
**2nd MONDAY:**  
 7:30 p. m.—Esther Class Meeting  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting  
 8:15 p. m.—Choir Practice

### The Church Of God Of Prophecy, Pahokee

Canal Point Road  
 John H. Kinard, pastor  
 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School  
 11:00 a. m.—Preaching Service  
 7:45 p. m.—Evangelistic Service  
 8:00 p. m. Tuesday—V. L. B.  
 8:00 p. m. Thursday—W. M. B.  
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### Church Of God, Barfield Highway

9:45 A. M.—Sunday School  
 11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship  
 7:00 P. M.—L. W. W. B. (Parsonage)  
 7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship  
 7:30 P. M. Tuesday—Prayer Meeting  
 7:30 P. M. Friday—Children's Church  
 7:30 P. M. Friday—Y. P. E.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Younger have moved from Pahokee back to their former home at Little Rock, Ark.

### First Baptist Church, Pahokee

Rev. James E. Boyd, pastor  
**SUNDAY SERVICES:**  
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School  
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship  
 6:45 p. m.—Training Union  
 8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
 8:00 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

### The Pahokee Church Of The Nazarene

71 Bacom Point Road  
 Charles F. Crauswell, Pastor  
 Phone 7528 P. O. Box 882  
**SUNDAY SERVICES:**  
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School  
 11:00 a. m.—Sunday Worship  
 6:30 p. m.—Juniors  
 7:00 p. m.—Sunday Evening Evangelistic Service.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
 7:30 p. m.—Midweek Prayer meeting.  
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### Holy Nativity Episcopal Church Pahokee

M. Wendell Hainlin, Vicar  
**SUNDAY:**  
 10 a. m.—Sunday School  
 11 a. m.—Worship Service

### Family Reunion For The Goodsons

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Goodson celebrated the return of their son Robert with a family reunion at their home in Canal Point. Twenty persons were present.

Included were their 11 children Lena, Robert, Mrs. (Joan) Walter Kautz, Ronnie, Joyce, Charles, Roy, Jimmie, Betty, Darrell and Sylvia; two sons-in-law, Walter Kautz and Stanley Mock; four grandchildren, Larry and Sharon Mock and Sandy and Terry Kautz, and Ray Suggs.

Mrs. A. E. Goodson celebrated her birthday, at a surprise party given at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kautz. She was entertained by several close friends, received a number of presents and refreshments were served. Outstanding "present" was the return five minutes before start of the party of her son, Robert, from the Air Force at Charleston, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Tarbevillie had as recent guests Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Fowler; also Mr. Fowler's brother, H. T. Fowler, and father, T. A. Fowler, all of Dublin, Ga.

### St. Mary's Catholic Church

Rev. Father C. C. Anderson  
**SUNDAY MASSES**  
 First and Second Sunday 11 a. m.  
 All Other Sundays, 8 a. m.

### First Methodist Church, Pahokee

Rev. Wayne Owens.  
**SUNDAY:**  
 9:45 a. m.—Church School  
 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship  
 6:45 p. m.—MYF  
 7:45 p. m.—Evening Worship  
**TUESDAY:**  
 7:00 p. m.—Vesper Choir practice  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
 7:45 p. m.—Mid-week devotions  
 8:30 p. m.—Senior Choir practice.

### Christian Science Group Of Canal Point

God's healing and saving power will be emphasized at Christian Science services Sunday.

Keynoting the Lesson-Sermon entitled "God the Preserver of Man" is the Golden Text from Deuteronomy (33:27): "The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms."

A number of experiences of the Apostle Paul are related in the Bible selections to be read which include Paul's healing (Acts 14) of the "man at Lystra, impotent in his feet, being a cripple from his mother's womb, who never had walked."

Selections from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will include the following (343:25): "Anciently those apostles who were Jesus' students, as well as Paul who was not one of his students, healed the sick and reformed the sinner by their religion. Hence the mistake which allows words, rather than works to follow such examples!"

### Seal Sales Boosted Throughout County

Christmas Seal booths throughout the county have helped to boost the total of the 51st Annual Christmas Seal Sale to \$19,649.08 at the end of the third week, according to Fred O. Dickinson, Jr., County Seal Sales Chairman. Mr. Dickinson praised the volunteers who are manning the booths and the organizations to which they belong for this valuable community service.

Totals from the towns in the county are as follows: West Palm Beach, \$7,184.53; Riviera Beach, \$733.00; Palm Beach, \$3,705.10; Lake Worth, \$3,404.25; Lake Park, \$100.00; Delray Beach, \$2,251.75; Jupiter, \$905.00; Pahokee, \$120.00; Lakahatchee, \$38.00; Belle Glade, \$249.50; Bann City, \$1.00; Chosen, \$4.00; Lake Harbor, \$21.00; Canal Point, \$100.00; Pelican Lake, \$7.00; South Bay, \$108.00; Greenacres City, \$32.50; Lantana, \$385.95; Boynton Beach, \$457.50; Boca Raton, \$465.00; Bryant, \$16.00; Port Mayaca, \$10.00; Manalapan, \$29.

### Pahokee Lions Hear FP&L Economist

Miss Jane Reynolds of West Palm Beach, home economist for the Florida Power and Light Company, was guest speaker at the Tuesday luncheon meeting of the Pahokee Lions Club. Introduced by Curtis Chase, program chairman, she spoke on "Christmas Lighting in the Home" and illustrated her talk with colored slides.

### Citrus Dog Food To Be New Wrinkle

TAMPA—You may be buying canned citrus dog food one of these days, Homer Hooks, general manager of the Florida Citrus Commission, told members of the Tampa Exchange Club recently.

Hooks described the work of the commission's research department and said they had a suggestion to look into the possibility of citrus dog food. He said it might be possible to make up something using citrus by-products.

He also announced that current citrus sales are "phenomenal" because of the prevalence of Asian flu and will continue to be good for the next several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McClure of Shawnee, Okla., and their son, L. D. McClure of San Francisco, California, are guests here of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. McClure.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elliott were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McLarty of Lake Worth; their daughter, Mrs. Cohen Blakey, of Orlando; their nephew, E. L. Baughman, and Bill Miner, both of Temple, Texas.

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## Sidewalks Given—

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 Letter for study by the Council.

Mayor F. S. Parrish was asked by the Council to write a letter to Congressman Paul Rogers' requesting Mr. Rogers' support and assistance in the city's efforts to improve the waterfront at Pahokee Harbor, such as getting permission to plant ornamental shrubs and trees on the levee in a beautification program, to extend a waterline to the Boy Scout beach and picnic grounds, to have the lake side of the levee hard surfaced to facilitate the flow of traffic and parking and similar necessary improvements.

Upon written request by Herman Magrill the Council voted to advertise for a hearing on the proposed re-zoning of a five-acre tract between S. E. Fourth Street and Belle Glade Road from R-2, residential to C-1, commercial.

Five dollar a week salary increases, as set up in the current budget and retroactive from Oct. 1, were granted to three city employees, Dorothy Fletcher, Otis Allen and R. D. Sappington.

A resolution was passed authorizing the construction of a new sidewalk on S. E. First Street between Barfield Highway and Greenstar Avenue at a cost of approximately \$5,000, the work to start Monday, Dec. 16. Resolutions were also passed for the abandonment by the city of land dedicated to alleys and streets located on school property at Washington Park and the site of the new Pahokee High School athletic field as the dedicated streets are not necessary and the land is needed for school purposes. A refund of \$85.35 for overcharge in city taxes was granted to R. O. Crosby.

City Attorney Ralph O. Johnson brought to the attention of the Council the three acts proposing changes in the city charter passed by the last State Legislature. One act provides for a city manager form of government, another provides a means of recalling from office an elective city official who fails to perform his duties, and the third provides for a civil service system for city employees and would change the offices of city clerk and chief of police from elective to appointive. All three acts must receive the approval of the majority of the city electorate in a referendum vote before they can go into effect. Johnson pointed out that May 30, 1958, is the deadline for such a referendum but the Council deferred action on this matter at the Monday night meeting.

Police Chief Leon Guthrie reported that he has appointed Elia Meredith a member of the police force to replace Patrolman Beck who resigned to re-enlist in the Armed Forces.

## Decorations Will —

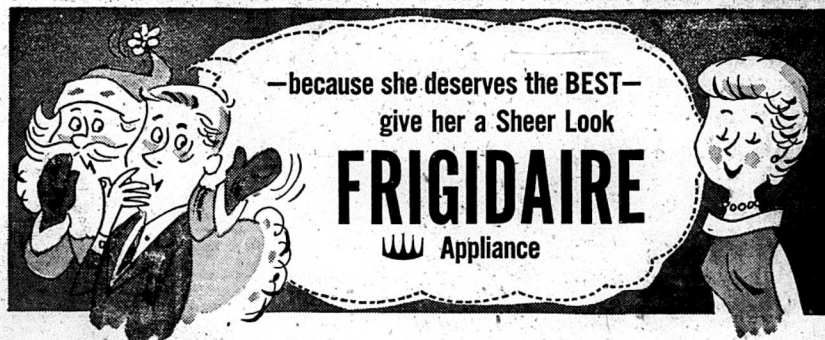
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 decorations with a Christmas display in the patio will be featured. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Don Hillier, Mrs. H. M. McIntosh, Mrs. J. T. Platt, Mrs. L. W. Armstrong, Mrs. Inman W. Weeks and Mrs. Duncan Padgett.

The last stop will be at the home of Mrs. William S. Plumer where the modern decorations will feature a Christmas decor. Refreshments will be served at the Plumer home. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Plumer will be Mrs. E. A. Jensen, Mrs. L. L. Shirley, Mrs. Curtis Chase, Mrs. R. B. Simonson, Mrs. F. M. Shaughnessy and Mrs. Lloyd Hundley.

Serving on the general committee in charge of arrangements for Holiday House are Mrs. H. M. McIntosh, chairman, Mrs. L. W. Armstrong, Mrs. J. T. Platt, Mrs. Inman W. Weeks and Mrs. Duncan Padgett.

## CHRISTMAS MUSIC

The December meeting of the Pahokee Parent-Teacher Association, originally scheduled for Dec. 9, was postponed to Monday, Dec. 16, at 8 p. m., when a program of Christmas music will be presented by the Pahokee High School Glee Club.



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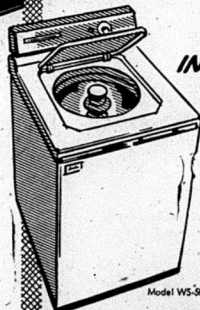
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